

In the Specification:

Please amend the CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS paragraph beginning at page 1, line 11 with the following paragraph:

This application is related to the following commonly-owned co-pending patent applications: ~~"GAMING DEVICE HAVING MULTIPLE AWARD ENHANCING LEVELS,"~~ Serial No. 09/967,016, Attorney Docket No. 0112300-882; ~~"GAMING DEVICE HAVING MULTIPLE AWARD ENHANCING LEVELS,"~~ Serial No. 09/966,956, Attorney Docket No. 0112300-883; ~~"GAMING DEVICE HAVING A MULTIPLE SELECTION GROUP BONUS ROUND,"~~ Serial No. 10/327,538, Attorney Docket No. 0112300-1212; ~~"GAMING DEVICE HAVING MULTIPLE CHOICE LARGE AWARD BONUS SCHEME,"~~ Serial No. 09/686,284, Attorney Docket No. 0112300-143; and ~~"GAMING DEVICE HAVING MULTIPLE CHOICE LARGE AWARD BONUS SCHEME,"~~ Serial No. 10/155,788, Attorney Docket No. 0112300-995.